



# Agriculture Field Day

October 21, 2017

Schoedel's Summit View Farm  
3217 Schoedel Road, Manistee, MI



**\*\*MAEAP Phase 1 Event\*\***  
**MDA 3 RUP Recertification Credits**

9:30 AM to 9:40AM

### Welcome and Introductions

Scott Hughey USDA-NRCS  
Katie Schoedel, President Benzie & Manistee Farm Bureau

9:40 AM to 10:40 AM

### Board Hay Wagon — Crop Land Demonstration

Discussion about conservation on cropland including pesticides, nutrient management, cover crops, crop rotation, & minimum till/no-till. Panel discussion with MSU Extension, NRCS, Seed Reps, and other industry professionals

10:40 AM to 10:45 AM

### break

10:45 AM to 11:45 AM

### Board Hay Wagon — Pasture Demonstrations

Discussion about conservation on pastureland including weed control, prescribed grazing, extending the grazing season, fences, supplying water, sacrifice areas, & planting pastures. Discussion with MSU Extension, NRCS, Seed Reps, and other industry professionals

11:45 AM to 12:15 PM

### Headquarters Tour

Discussion about Conservation Practices on Headquarters including, runoff water, waste storage facility, heavy use area protection, fuel facilities, pesticide storage, & fertilizer storage. Discussion with MSU Extension, NRCS, and MAEAP staff

12:15 PM to 1:00 PM

### Lunch and Learn\*- Lunch provided by Benzie-Manistee Farm Bureau

\*12:30 PM MAEAP Information Presentation - Lizzy Freed, MAEAP Technician Benzie County, and Dan Busby, MAEAP Verifier - MDARD

1:00 PM to 3:00PM

### Transitioning your Farm Business to the Next Generation

Tom Doyle, Attorney with Doyle Law PC & Professor, Thomas Cooley Law School, Subjects taught include Estate Planning, Law of Cyberspace, and Computer Law

3:00 PM to 3:15PM

### Wrap Up and RUP Credits

There is **no fee** for attending this event and lunch will be provided, but please **register no later than October 13**. To register, contact the Manistee Conservation District at (231) 889-9666 or email [scott.hughey@mi.usda.gov](mailto:scott.hughey@mi.usda.gov)

